

Petersburg Social.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
PETERSBURG, VA., April 20.—The Young Ladies' Literary Club, at the final meeting of the season, at the home of Miss Mary Tripplet, Tuesday morning, elected the following officers for next season: President, Miss Julia Sulley, vice-president, Miss Beatrice Finkbeiner, secretary and treasurer, Miss Della Bryan. Miss Bessie Mann was elected a member of the club. The club decided to make English literature the subject of reading and study during the next season.
 Mr. N. T. Patterson has been elected president of the Riverside Country Club by the board of governors of that organization. Great interest is being taken in the horse show to be held on the club grounds by the Riverside Hunt May 3d and 4th.
 The marriage of Miss Helen Patterson and Mr. George Winter Plummer, which took place on Wednesday, the 10th, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, was a very happy one. The bride was Miss Helen Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Winter Plummer, and the groom was Mr. George Winter Plummer, of the North-east side of their bride's trip.
 Miss Kate Mason gave a tea Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Mary Pindley Melvin, of Lexington, who is visiting the city. Other guests were Miss Mary Minnott Osborne and Mrs. George Bryan, of Richmond, received with Miss Mason.
 A silver tea for the Young Ladies' Society of St. Paul's Church was given Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Edwin T. Nixon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall Davis have returned from their bridal trip.

FREDERICKSBURG SOCIAL

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 20.—Colonel Randolph Dickson, of Philadelphia, was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. H. W. Wright.
 Mr. and Mrs. George W. Shepherd, Jr., have moved into their new home, on Lewis Street.
 Mr. E. M. Young, Sr., of New Mexico is visiting his sons here.
 Mrs. J. Horace Lacy is quite sick.
 Mrs. A. P. Roper, Sr., who has been ill, is convalescing.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wallace have gone to Atlantic City for a stay of ten days.
 Miss Virgie Carmichael has returned from a visit to friends in Maryland.
 Miss Nannie Henderson, who has been staying in Roanoke, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. H. W. Wright.
 Mrs. Mosey Rhein, of Washington, was here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldsmith.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ford and daughter are visiting friends in Washington.
 Miss Louise Sommerville has returned from a visit to friends in King George.
 Mrs. Beverley R. Mason, of Washington, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. William B. Goodrich.
 Miss Nannie G. Willis is visiting friends in Lynchburg.
 Mr. John T. Lightfoot, of Madison county, was here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Boulware.
 Miss Nannie Minnie, of King George, was a guest this week of Judge J. E. Mason and family.
 Miss Carrie P. Moore, of Bon Air, was here this week, a guest of Mr. W. E. Bradley and family.
 Miss Margaret Shepherd has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Baltimore.
 Mrs. J. P. Smith, of Richmond, was here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Horace Lacy.
 Miss Fannie Henry, of Orange county, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Shepherd, has returned home.

HANOVER.

HANOVER COUNTY, VA., April 20.—The rural free delivery route, No. 2, from Beaver Dam through this section, was started on last Tuesday. All the boxes have not been shipped, but will be in a short time. This route is about twenty-five miles long, and is a great blessing to the community.
 Mr. Axel Ford, of Washington, D. C., who a few months ago bought "Dewberry," the home of the late Mrs. B. C. Clark, has bought the "Mica Mine" farm, which was once a part of "Dewberry." This puts the old place back to its original lines, containing about 500 acres.
 Major L. T. Christian, of Richmond, has bought the old Berkeley place, "White House."
 Messrs. Maddox, Dillard & Company, who were burnt out at Hewlett's about a month ago, have let the contract for the rebuilding of their store. It is to be finished by July 1st. In the meantime, they have opened up in one of their warehouses. They are enterprising young men who can't be downed.
 Miss M. B. Noland, who has been spending the winter in Richmond, has returned to her home, "Edgewood," for the spring.

CREWE SOCIAL

CREWE, VA., April 20.—Miss Mary Johnson and Mrs. W. J. Kirkson returned this week from Richmond.
 Mrs. J. H. Hines left Wednesday for Prince Edward county. From there she will go to Roanoke to visit Mrs. Frank Calhoun and Mrs. L. Vernon.
 Mrs. T. J. Collings, Mrs. Claiborne Wilson and Mrs. G. Clay are yet on the sick list.
 Miss Laura Beville left Friday for a visit to her mother at Ontario.
 Mrs. Mary Nesbit, worthy grand matron of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of Virginia, will visit Bethlehem Chapter next Friday, the 26th.
 Mr. J. B. Quisenberry, of Roanoke, is the guest of Mrs. George W. Richardson.
 Miss Kate Ames is visiting in Danville.
 Mrs. J. D. Shumate left Friday for a visit to Giles county.

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Richmond Citizens Gladly Testify and Confidently Recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

It is testimony like the following that has placed "Doan's Kidney Pills" so far above competitors. When people right here at home raise their voice in praise there is no room left for doubt. Read the public statement of a Richmond citizen:

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Social Life in Norfolk

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., April 20.—The week was not particularly gay socially, only a few parties breaking the quiet.
 On Tuesday evening Colonel and Mrs. George C. Cabell entertained at bridge. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shield, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes, Dr. and Mrs. Julius Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Forney Reese, Mrs. C. B. Ryan, Mrs. Charles Webster, Mrs. Milton Elliott, Miss Cooke, of the University of Virginia, Lieutenant Koonitz, United States Army; Mr. Thompson Barron, Mr. Collin McRae, Naval Constructor Lawrence Adams and Mr. Shipman.
 Colonel and Mrs. Cabell gave a euchre party on Wednesday evening for Mrs. Charles Holland, of Danville. Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Wood, Mrs. Nathaniel Greene, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ham, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Seibrell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Williams, Mrs. James Barron and Dr. E. E. Felid.
 Miss Alice Old was the hostess at an attractive bridge party on Wednesday morning, when her guests were Mrs. Marbury, Mrs. James Mann, Miss H. Truxton, Miss Wheat, of Berryville, Miss Melissa Payne and Miss Hoggard.
 The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. H. R. Leonard. Those present were Mrs. Whitcomb, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Goodenow, Mrs. Samuel Bowman, Mrs. Edward Spaulding, Mrs. C. E. Reese, Mrs. Maria Greenwood, Mr. Frederick Stoll, Mrs. George L. Currier, Mrs. Alfred Clay, Mrs. Jessie Davies, Mrs. Charles Everhart, Mrs. R. M. Barrett, Mrs. R. A. Saunders and Mrs. Terry B. Gordon.

Mrs. Frederick K. Kilham gave a beautiful luncheon on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Robert M. Berry, of the Navy Yard. Covers were laid for Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Kenneth Castleman, Mrs. Caldwell Hardy, Mrs. J. Leighton Hubard, Mrs. Floyd Hughes, Mrs. Victor Blue, Mrs. C. Brooks Johnston, Mrs. Hugh N. Page and Mrs. A. V. Wadhams.
 The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Redfield Waddy, daughter of the late Colonel John R. Waddy, to Mr. Edward Pleasant Brooke, of Washington. The marriage will occur the last part of June.
 Captain Hubbard gave a dinner on board the United States steamship Minnesota on Tuesday evening, at which his guests were Mrs. Hubbard, Admiral and Mrs. Robert M. Berry and Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Victor Blue.
 Misses Caroline and Mary Gwathmey have returned from a visit to the Misses Grammer in Philadelphia.
 Miss Cooper has returned to her home in New York after having been the guest of Mrs. Victor Blue.
 Mrs. James R. Hubard and Mrs. Robert Reed have returned from Washington, where they went to attend the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

PACES

PACES, VA., April 20.—The closing exercises of Miss Janie Pottage's school on Tuesday evening at the public schoolhouse, near this place, were interesting and instructive, and were enjoyed by a large audience. The proficiency of the pupils was a just compliment to the popular and talented teacher.

The following were among the number that distinguished themselves: Misses Patti, Annie, Marie and Bertha Oliver, Annie Burgess, Eva Jeter, Esther Kirby, Shanna Burton and Ida and Mary Owen. Messrs. Richard Hutchinson, Aaron Reuben and Everett Vaughan, Roy Kent and Ferrell Oliver, Walter and Dudley Burgess, Branch Parkdale, Jimmy Burton and Green Fitzgerald.
 Mr. Charles Stebbins, of Houston, Va., spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at this place.
 Miss Bessie Derrick is visiting friends in South Boston, Va.
 Miss Mary Reynolds, of Elmo, Va., is the guest of Miss Gertie Oliver this week.
 Mr. Pat Fowler, of Spencer, N. C., visited friends at Brooklyn, Va., this week.
 Misses Camilla Sacriste and Roma Vaughan spent Friday and Saturday at South Boston.

Mr. R. R. Oliver, Jr., paid a flying trip to Danville this week.
 Miss Gussie Penn, after a two weeks' stay with Miss Lester at Shockoe, Va., returned home yesterday.
 Miss Bettie Coleman, who has been teaching private school at Henric, Va., is making a short stay at her home near here.
 Miss Mary Vaughan, who has been visiting relatives in Richmond, Va., for the past two weeks, has returned home.

SPOTSYLVANIA GOSSIP

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEWISTON, VA., April 20.—Mr. Mason Dillard, of Norfolk, has returned home after a short visit to his sister, Mrs. J. P. Holladay.
 Mrs. W. J. Lack is at home again, much improved, after her stay in the Memorial Hospital in Richmond.
 Mrs. S. W. Goodman is quite sick at her home near Gatewood.
 Mr. Fielding, of Warrenton, Va., was at Lewiston Wednesday.
 Mr. Arrowood, of Union Theological Seminary, held services at the Belair School Saturday and Sunday night, which were much enjoyed by the members of the school, and also by the neighbors who attended. Mr. Arrowood is an excellent preacher, and we shall hope to have him back among us again.
 The residence of Mrs. Clara Rawlings, near Lewiston, took fire yesterday from the chimney, but was promptly extinguished before harm was done.
 Dr. Arritt has moved into a house at Lewiston, where his patients can communicate with him promptly by telephone.

West Point Social.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WEST POINT, VA., April 20.—Mrs. A. J. Dickinson, formerly of Richmond, has bought a lot at Wadkinton, and will build a comfortable cottage as her future residence. Miss Janie Dickinson and her sister, Miss Nellie Bagby, will live with her.
 The West Point Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the eighty-eighth anniversary of the establishment of the order in America, by appropriate exercises and a sermon by Rev. D. G. Butts, of Richmond, Va., in the Methodist Church, on the 26th of April.
 Rev. E. Boyd Hudson, of the Methodist Church, will use as his subject, Sunday morning, "The Lord's Prayer," and on Wednesday, "At Night, 'Some Phases of the Divorce Problem.'"
 At the Baptist Church, Dr. Waugh, the pastor, will preach on "Backsliding," in the morning, and at night on "A Woman with Power to Exorcise Demons."
 Mrs. John Lewis, who used to live at Lester Manor for a long time, but who has lived in Richmond for some years, has paid a delightful visit to Mrs. Wooten.
 Mr. Ed Wilkinson is in Norfolk, where his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Wilkinson, continues very ill in the Protestant Hospital.
 Miss Little South, of King and Queen, who was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Revere, has returned to her home. Miss Lola Moring, of Baltimore, visited this week her cousin, Mr. A. J. Amack.
 There is a great demand for residences—not a house in town for rent, and people constantly seeking them.
 Miss Crystal Farinholt is on a visit to Gloucester.
 Mr. Gilbert Taylor, of Norfolk, visited his parents this week.

SOCIAL LIFE IN RALEIGH

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., April 20.—Among the social events of the past week one of special interest was the marriage of Miss Jassamine May Higgs, of this city, and Mr. Henry C. Walter, of Washington, D. C. However, owing to a recent bereavement in the family of the groom, it was a quiet home wedding in the presence of a few intimate friends of the families. The Higgs home, on North Blount Street, was prettily decorated with palms, lilies and other potted plants, and there was a soft glow of burning tapers.
 The ceremony was by Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, of which Miss Higgs is an active member. The bride was attended by her two little nieces—Lucy Hanks Higgs and Florence Sherwood Higgs. Misses Mattie and Emily G. Higgs, sisters of the bride, were maids of honor, while two brothers—Messrs. Sherwood and Allen Higgs—served as ushers.
 The bride was given away by her father, Mr. James A. Higgs. She was beautifully attired in white brocade satin, en train, and carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley, and the bride veil was caught up with lilies-of-the-valley and orange blossoms.
 The bride is one of Raleigh's brightest and most admired young women. Mr. Walter was on the faculty of the Agricultural and Mechanical College here. They will reside in Washington, D. C.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Sherwood Higgs entertained at a beautifully served luncheon in honor of the Walter-Higgs bride. The guests were Mr. Higgs, Mr. J. E. Meares, of Asheville. There were over 100 guests.
 Mrs. Pender is a bride of about a month, and she and Mr. Pender leave very soon for Panama, where Mr. Pender has received a government appointment. The Adick home was prettily decorated for the reception, and Mrs. Adick was assisted by Mrs. Chas. Root, Miss Willie Ashe, Mrs. F. H. Buebee, Mrs. Walton, of Morganton; Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, of Greensboro; Mrs. Harvey, Miss Pearl Heck, Mary Grimes Cowper, Mrs. E. H. Fellows, Mrs. W. B. Grimes and Mrs. Grimes Cowper.
 Mrs. F. L. Stevens spent the past three days in Greensboro as the guest of the Friday Afternoon Club of that city. She delivered an address while there before the club on "Woman's Clubs and Civic Improvement."

Mrs. R. B. Miller and little daughter have returned to Goldsboro, after spending several days with her father, Mr. R. H. Battle.
 Mrs. William Kennan and daughter are here from Wilmington, guests in the home of Colonel Thomas S. Kennan.
 Mrs. Wade R. Brown has returned from Fayetteville, where she participated in a song recital Monday night. Mrs. Brown is one of the most gifted and cultured alto vocalists in the whole State.

AFTON SOCIAL

AFTON, VA., April 20.—Mrs. Chas. McCue, of Ashland, and Mr. John McCue, of Richmond, are visiting relatives at Afton.
 Mr. Sam P. Goodloe is at his home at the Afton House, after a business trip to Norfolk and Richmond.
 Miss Risha Goodloe is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Lipscomb, in Charlottesville.
 Mr. Hunter Hayes, of Washington, is visiting his mother at Chestnut Ridge.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aditt, of Cornell University, are guests of Colonel and Mrs. J. Wilcox Brown, at "Elsaham."

Miss Martha Welsiger and Mrs. Bruce Burke, of Highland Lodge, were guests at the Afton House this week.
 Mrs. Roy Goodisby, of Charlottesville, is visiting her mother at Afton.
 Mrs. Dickson, of West Virginia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will McCue.
 Miss Janie Lipscomb, of Charlottesville, will spend several weeks with her grandparents at the Afton House.
 It is now believed that the apples are not seriously injured by the recent cold weather, but cherries, pears and peaches have been cut back at least two thirds in this section.

MONTVALE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
MONTVALE, VA., April 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Newton Hinzwood and children, of Danville, who have been visiting their home in Bedford county, have returned home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tate, of Lynchburg, were the guests last week of Miss Marguerite Rice.
 Mr. Isaac H. Buford and daughter, Miss Francis Tate, of Lynchburg, are visiting their Montvale friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buford had for their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Mosley, of Bedford.
 Mrs. Spear, of Portsmouth, O., is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Spear.
 Mr. Albert Williams, of Bon Air, is due to arrive on Friday, and will spend several days at the home of his father, Captain A. G. Williams.
 Rev. Louis Blandford, of Danville, will preach at the Montvale Methodist Church on Sunday, the 21st, and will visit the services through the following week.

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Dress Goods Sale.

Unabated interest in Dress Goods has been a feature of the spring trading. More women are buying Worsted Dresses this spring than for years. Well, they will have more use for them this summer, and then they'll be good for early fall wear and travel.

Real \$1.00 quality French Voiles reduced to 85c.
 Real \$1.00 quality Plaid Dress Goods reduced to 85c.
 Real \$1.00 Fancy Worsted and Mohairs reduced to 70c.
 Real \$1.50 Novelty Foreign Dress Goods reduced to \$1.00.
 Real \$1.75 Hairline Striped Dress Goods reduced to \$1.25.
 Real \$1.85 All-Wool 54-Inch Worsteds reduced to \$1.50.

Pure Linen Heavy Huck Towels, \$3.00 Per Doz.

Just at the time you need a replenishing of the Towel supply here is a chance for you: Twenty-five dozen (that's all) of a splendid quality, heavy grade, of All-Pure Linen Huckaback Towels, in size 20 by 39 inches, with Damask borders and hemmed ends. These ought to sell out in a few hours at the low price we've put on them—\$3.00 per dozen.

Good Black Taffeta Silk, \$1.10 the Yard.

Here's another one of those special value Pure Silk Black Taffetas. This time it's a 36-inch wide guaranteed Silk. Just the width to cut to good advantage. A rich jet black that doesn't turn greenish. Our word on this is that we cannot buy additional quantity to sell for less than \$1.25 a yard. There's only five pieces to be sold at this price. That's about enough for twenty-five customers, one dress each. Will you be one of the twenty-five to get this splendid Black Taffeta at \$1.10.

Linen Pillow Cases.

New Shipment.

We've just received a large shipment of All-Linen Pillow Cases that were bought eight months ago, and ought to have been here early in March. Since this order was placed the mill has advanced their price until it would cost us to get another lot almost as much as we are going to sell these for. The sizes are full 45 by 26-inch, and the linen runs smooth and firm. The prices on this stock are \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.37 1-2, \$1.50, \$1.05 and \$2.00 pair.

Necessary Notions.

New stock of White Belts, in washable and silk materials. The special Belts we are offering, in fine cord white pique, with removable buckle and buttonhole eyelets, at the small price of 10c, will be a surprise to you.

Embroidered and Plain Tucked Belts, with pearl and gilt buckles, from 25c to \$1.25 each.
 Queen Quality Talcum Powder is made from the highest grade imported talc, carefully purified and delightfully violet scented. We put this fine article on sale at 10c the can.

You can hardly manage to do much sewing without needing scissors, and how vexing it is to get hold of a dull pair that bite your cloth. We offer you fine quality fully warranted. Genuine English Steel Scissors, in sizes 5, 5 1-2, 6, 6 1-2 inch, at your choice, 50c pair.
 Stylish New Mother of Pearl Belt Buckles, bought before the advance in pearl; oval, square and round shapes; priced at 25c, 50c, 80c, \$1.25 each.

Combination Tourist Cases and Sponge Bags, rubber lined; just the thing for traveling; prices, 25c to \$2.50 each.

Pretty New Foulard and Fancy Silks.

This season has been one of exceptional demand for Silks, and manufacturers have found difficulty in making prompt deliveries. Our new openings of Fancy Dress Silks and Pretty Foulards are surely a captivating bunch. This week's display will be a showing worth your careful attention.

Fancy Check and Plaid Taffetas from 65c to \$1.00 yard.
 Fancy Stripes and Plaids, all new, from \$1.00 to \$1.50 yard.

Figured Foulards, in dress designs, 85c and \$1.00 yard.
 Stylish Polka Dots, Stripes and Plaids, in the rough finish, called Tussock and Pongee, 24 and 27 inches, at \$1.00 yard.

Stylish Batiste, 12 1-2c Yard

Full yard wide, beautiful tinted ground, fine quality Wash Batiste, with large coin spot or polka dot. Just opened for this week's selling. Small lot of fine goods, really ought to be 18c or 19c the yard. For quick selling we've marked them only 12 1-2c.

1,000 Yards 40-Inch White Lawn, 12 1-2c Yd.

Notwithstanding the strong advance in all Cotton Goods, here is a chance to secure a full summer's supply of this splendid quality, 40-inch wide, fine, sheer grade of White Lawn or India Linon, as some call it. You haven't had a quality better than this in the last two years for the price—12 1-2c the yard.

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Signor Brune, the Italian inventor, whose name is associated with wireless telephones, has now perfected another great departure in swift electric communication. His new invention is one for sending telephonic and telegraphic messages simultaneously along the same wire, by means of an arrangement setting in motion electric waves of varying energy, which neither overlap nor mingle. The control is so complete that messages can be exchanged between any two points, notwithstanding.

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School of Duelling.

Although duelling has long been laughed out of court in this country, our continental friends by no means share our opinion of this method of settling affairs of honor. Though the French duel is usually carried through without any serious injury to either combatant, it is regarded with grave consideration, and every detail has to be attended to most punctiliously.

In order that gentlemen who may be called upon to defend themselves at the point of the pistol may have some training for the ordeal, there has been established in Paris a school of duelling, one prominent member having been the late ex-President Casimir-Perier.

This academy is conducted by Dr. de Villedor, and combats frequently take place there by way of practice. In these mimic duels wire masks are worn to protect the face and bullets made of wax are used, so that no injury may be sustained by the combatants.

In all other respects, however, the conduct of the affair is carried through as on the field of honor, so that when the time comes—if it ever does come—for the scholars to take part in a serious duel they may acquit themselves with credit to themselves and disaster to their adversary—although this latter point is not of much importance.—Wide World Magazine.

An Analysis of Mr. Graves.
 John Temple Graves is a Georgia editor with a whim. A whim differs from an idea because it is born of a brain-storm, while an idea is the refined product of deliberation and sane thought.—Indianapolis Sun.

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